October 28, 2004

Robert C. Levine General Counsel Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc. 54 Sawyer Avenue Atkinson, NH 03811

Re: DW 02-128, Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc.

Petition for Financing

Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Levine:

On October 19, 2004, you filed a on behalf of Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc. (HAWC) a request for a thirty (30) day extension of time to file the financing petition required by Commission Order No. 24,362. In support of your request, you note that HAWC has recently made other filings pursuant to Order No. 24,362, one of which required more time to compile than anticipated.

The Commission has determined that good cause has been shown for the extension. Accordingly, HAWC's request is granted.

Very truly yours,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director and Secretary

cc: Docket File